# EAST SIDE IN ASHES

Two Million Fire in Minneapolis Randers 1,500 Homeless.

CHANGE OF WIND SAVED IT

Fire Department Powerless and Manotories Wiped Out-Bo

MENNEAPOLIS, Aug. 13.-Two millions of deliars worth of property went up in flames this afternoon. Over 200 houses are learned and at least 1,500 persons are rendered homeless. This is the record made by the destroying element in the short space of two hours. A kind providence and not the fire department or the feeble efforts of the owners of threatened property saved the greater portion of the manufacturing and resi-dence portions of the east side. The fire had gained such headway that no human agency could quench it, and only a change in the direction of the wind prevented an awful confingration. It was a little after Life o'clock when a river side of J. B. Clarke & Co.'s box factory on the south end of Nicollet island at the head of St. Authory falls. asiand at the head of St. Authory falls. An alarm quickly, followed by a second and third, was turned in, but by the time the department had arrived the flames, farmed by a furious south wind, had gained such headway that all the firemen could do was to turn their attention to adjoining property. Where the fire first started is a mystery, but it is thought it originated either in Lenhart's wagen works or in an ice house relonging to the Cedar Lake Ice company immistiately adjoining. Nearly all pany immediately adjoining. Nearly all the structures in this vicinity were of wood, dry as tinder, and made splended fuel for the flumes. Clarke's box factory was doomed before even a stream of water was thrown upon it. Next to it Lenhart's wagen works and the Cedar Leake ice houses were wiped out of ex-istence. Further north were Lintges & Cornell's besier works, and here the heaviest loss on the island took place. This firm had a stock valued at over \$50,000, and not a cent of insurance. The other lossers are fairly well insured.

Boom Island Laid Waste. While this fire was at its height a spark carried high in the air alighted on Boom issand nearly half a mile above the fire on Nicollet island. This island is occupied as a wood yard by the lumber firm of Naison, Tenney & Co. No one noticed the spark fall, but the whole plant was near ablaze. It was this one noticed the spark fall, but the whole island was soon ablaze. It was this spark that caused the greatest loss. Quickly jumping across the small stream of water surrounding the island from the main land the flames gained a footing in Nelson, Tenney & Co.'s lumber vard where there were piled some 10,000,000 feet of lumber. The fire fairly walked through this yard and into that of E. W. Backus & Co. additional that of E. W. Backus & Co. additional this part and into that of E. W. Backus & Co. additional this part and in the state of the state o to stop it, even had the whole fire-department been on hand. Great embers flow through the air and started where the firemen were at work. The flames were simply irresistible. Brick and stone structures fell as easy victims as the morest shells. Behind the lumber yard were the two mills belonging to E. W. Backus & Co. Of these noth a mass of twisted machinery and charred timbers. J. H. Chattenton's cedar posmill went the way of the others, as did the sush and door factories of Fulton & Libboy and J. W. Wilcox & Co. At the corner of Marshall street and Thirteesth

avenue portheast stood the mammoth

brewery of the Minneapolis brewing The Wind Changed. This it seemed must surely go, but at this time the wind changed, and al-though the brewery was surrounded by wooden buildings, it was saved, and it is nue and Thirteenth avenue northeast, and from the river luck to Marshall street, a distance of three blocks, that escaped the fire. The big brewery acted ze a sort of shield, and in a measure, protected the property to the north. If no it hornest, nothing could have pre-vented the fire from running north as far as if could find anything to burn. Along the siver were affuated the saw mills and wood and lumber yards, and these too, would have gone the way of the others and nearly the entire saw mill industry of the city would have been destroyed. The change in the di-rection of the wind imperiled the lumber yards and mills on the west side of mercy of the flying sparks and embers. Along the east bank of the river were located the mills and lumber yuells which were burned, while east of them were located many stores and residences. Most of them were frame buildings occupied by the em-ployes of the mills and laboring men-Fox owned their dwellings and their principal losses will be their personal effects. Large numbers saved their bringing comes in the control of their bringing goods, which they stocked in piece over which they stocked in piece over their being carried away by thierre. At the beavery, where the free was checked, the citizens did much to business and with the change in the wind all danger was practically over and the

fire was adopted to burn their out. Ant From St. Paul. V. All the available fire apparatus in the city was in use and St. Paul sent two segme companies in response to calls for assistance. As set no loss of life is superied and it is believed that all the occurrences of the nonness escaped with their lives. They were all warned in time, and no next to have been lost. It is removed that two or three men were percent in by the flames while trying to to impossible to estimate the loss. The to imposent the property tipoperty and any esti-many cases are unable to give any esti-mates. Neisser Parency & to less about products foot of lupiber and some good. Baseline & Co. two mrs wille and probabiles a like amount of literature. These least still probability has at least \$250,000. A. ch. Willows & Co. in loose in about \$700. as buttling works and stablesof the Il moraposis Berwing company are burned, and the look will be at least ground, all were well insured. On the

Fire Under Control.

Several firemen were slightly injured.

Pire Under Control.

About 6 o'clock the fire jumped the river and for some time the west adde saw mill district was in great danger. Fortunately the flames were extinguished before much damage was deed. At 10 o'clock tonight the east side rums were still abiase, but the fire is under control. Hundreds of people are either the recipients of charity or sleeping in the open air tonight. Many saved only the clothes on their back.

The mammoth brewery of the Minneapolls firewing company was the salvation of the cast side. Had not this great structure stopped the furious flames which raged around it, nothing would have prevented the tire from extending as far north as it could find anything to burn. As it was, the property burned was mostly small structures near the river. Nevertheless they were homes, homes of post men who could afford no better, and who lost their all when they were burned.

It was reported that several men while attempting to save some of their furniture were burned severely about the face and hands. The names of the unfortunate people who were burned could not be learned. They were taken to the homes of other families where everything that could be done for them was done. Owing to the confusion little could be done in the line of relief measures. Plymouth congregational church sheltered a large number of refugees in its mission, while the St. Anthony society threw open its great hall to a hundred families. Charitably disposed persons supplied provisions, and as agreater number of the unfortunates had saved bediding, they passed the night very confortably. More active relief measures will be taken.

Some of the Losses.

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Some of the Losses. The Nicollet island losses are as follows: Clarke box factory, \$50,000, insured; L. Hart wagon works, \$15,000, partially corered by insurance; Lings & Connells, loss \$15,000, insurance; L. S. Coffin box factory, \$2,000, insured; Cedar Coffin box factory, \$2,000, insured; Codar Lake Ics company, \$2,000, insured; Bergman Lounge compady, \$2,500, insured; Other small losses bring the total loss on the island up to \$175,000. E. W. Hackus & Co. place their loss at over \$1,000,000. They state that they had 60,000,000 feet of lumber, worth \$750,000 alone and that this is a total loss. Their mills are also gone and

\$7.0,000 alone and that this is a total less. Their mills are also gone and these they claim were worth at least \$250,000. It is impossible to learn their insurance at present, but it is believed that they are well protected.

The following firemen were injured: Captain Crake of fire headquarters was taken to his home with his left leg injured; Captain Pollock was overcome with the heat while fighting the fire and was removed to his home in the patrol wagon. Another fireman of the Cataract company had his hands burned quite badly.

Late tonight it was reported that Mrs. Thomas Salone, an old lady who was bedridden, was burned in her home. The charred remains of a boy were also found in the debris.

# PLUGGED WITH A BULLET.

Attempt to Rob an Express Car Folled

Chawroneville, Ind. Aug. 18.—As the east bound mail train pulled out of the Crawfordsville junction last night, an attempt was made by half a dozen men to rob the car of the Adams Express company. The train owing to improvements being made on track had to move slowly for several hundred feet from the junction. When on the edge of the woods C. W. Julier, the messenger poticed expectal man were hanging ger, noticed several men were hanging on the outside of the car evidently at-tempting to enter. He called to them to get out, but two of the men drew revolvers. Julier quickly opened fire, and the men returned it and then fled across the fleids. The train moved on out of sight, but people running from the junction to the scene of the skirmish found a man lying in the ditch with a bullet hole in his side. He claims to have had no connection with the man who shot at the messenger and ran away. He claims to have been stealing a ride. He gives the name of Ed Brown of Cleveland. He is in the Crawfordsville jail in a serious condi-

# TROUBLE IS BREWING.

# Telegrahers at Loggerhead About

Trial of Hamsay. OMANA, Neb., Aug. 13.—The trouble between Omaha division of the Railway Telegraphers and the grand officers has about come to a head. The attorney for the Omaha division has in the last few days on the instruction of his clients sent notification to the members of the sent notification to the members of the grand executive committee of the order that unless that body signified a purpose before August 24 of calling a special session of the grand division of the order to try Grand Chief Ramsay, Past Grand Chief Thurston and Executive Committeeman Flegel, application for the appointment of a receiver would be made at Vinton, Iowa, the headquarters of the order. The members of the order of the order. The members of the order here are confident that the presentation of the facts already evern to in affidavits and published would be quite sufficient to cause the appointment of a receiver.

# ALL ABOUT A GIRL.

Three Men Wounded at a Revival

Meeting and One Will Die. Oagneen, Ill., Aug. 11.-At a revival meeting near Rich farm, north of this city, last night a young man named Alexander, who is from Kentucky, became engaged in a quarrel with several of the local swains over agirl, and in the fight that followed Alexander used a knife, wounding three men, one of whom will do. After the affray Alexander mounted his horse and fled. The wounded men were taken to Christman

# Disemboweled Himself.

Prevento, Mass. Aug. 13. A shocking solicide occurred here today when George Bradley, aged 67 years, disemboweied hittorif at his home on Daniels arouts. Brailey has been a sufferer for years from ulceration of the townis, having been confined to his bed for more than a year. Early this morning he secural possession of a sharp pocket knife and inflicted a cut three and onehalf inches long across his abdomen. Realley lineseed until nearly mon when

# Ritted by Barringanke.

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# LODGE MAY START IT

Debate on Repeal of Purchase

### LEE MANTLE SENATORIAL CASE

House Is Debating Silver Fourteen

Washington, Aug. 13.—Congress has settled down to debate with a degree of settled down to debate with a degree of expedition almost unknown in its history, and with an apparent determination to do something that promises well for the outcome. Fortunately for the majority of the senate, the action of the house on the silver question relieved them from the necessity of speedy and perhaps ill-advised action. The democratic causes committee charged with cratic caucus committee charged with the preparation of a plan that shall secure the adherence of the united majority will therefore commence its labors with more deliberation than would have been possible, and it is not expected now that they will perfect their work which involves consultation with many senators at each stage, much before the house has acted. The finance committee will probably wait upon the action of the caucus committee, and so the silver question is not likely to figure in a formal way in the proceedings of the sonate this week. It is entirely possible and even probable that speeches will be delivered upon the subject, but if so they will be based upon some such resolution as that introduced by Senator Lodge, calling for a repeal of the silver purchase section of the Sherman act and not upon a bill regularly reported from the finance committee and ready for immediate action. oors with more deliberation than would

Lee Mantle's Case.

There is a strong disposition in some quarters to fill in the time during the week by the discussion of the Lee Mantle senatorial election case, which is in a privileged position and can be called up at any time to the displacement of other business. The program in the house has been definitely fixed by the addition of the order introducest Friday last by Representative Bland. The time will be devoted exclusively to the consideration of the silver question under the rules of the last house governing general debate. Notwithstanding the apparent lack of interest in the discussion manifested by members Saturday, the number of applicants for recognition already on the speaker's list demonstrates that the period allotted to the debate, eleven days under the general rules and three Lee Mantle's Case. period allotted to the debate, eleven days under the general rules and three days under the five minutes rule, will be all occupied. There are between ninety and a hundred names enrolled by the speaker, the great majority of whom probably expect to talk the full hour allowed by the rules. There are a number, however, who have stipulated for shorter periods, generally twenty minutes or half anhour. If it appears that the time for debate will be too short to accommodate all who wish to short to accommodate all who wish to speak, night sessions will be held to lengthen the period, but this expedient it is believed will not become necessary before next week, with the expiration of which the debate will be closed.

# APPEAL TO THE PEOPLE.

Free Coinage Men Call Upon the People to Protect Their Rights.

Washington, Aug. 13.—The executive committee appointed at the Chicago silver convention met today in this city and tonight issued "An appeal to the people" as follows: Congress has been convened in extra session and the unconditional repeal of the present silver law is urged upon. The repeal of this law will at once stop all increase in the currency, place the country on a single currency, place the country on a single gold standard and at one stroke change all debts to gold debts, with the cer-tainty that gold will thereafter continue tainty that gold will thereafter continue to increase in value at an accelerated rate. The country is now in the throes of a disastrous panic caused by a "currency famine" and the destruction of credit, which has been needlessly brought about to enforce the repeal of the elver law. The committee appointed the eilver law. The committee appointed at the Chicago convention to resist the mad purpose to destroy silver as money and establish the single gold standard calls upon the people everywhere to lay aside, for the time, party differences and to assemble to their accustomed places of meeting, as our fathers did of old, and read their accustomed places. of meeting, as our fathers did of old, and pass resolutions calling upon their representatives and senators in congress to resist the repeal of the present sliver law unless coupled with a provision restoring the free coinage of both gold and sliver as it existed under the law prior to the passage of the fraudulent act of 1873.

# ROBBED BY TRAMPS.

### Steamboat Captain Beaten Insensible and Stripped of Clothing.

ELEMANT, Ind., Aug. 13.—Capt. J. K. Mosher, a Toledo, Ohio, steamboat cap-tain, returning from the world's fair, was assaulted here by two tramps last night and beaten into insensibility with a coupling pin. The robbers took bis coat, hat, waistenat and shoes and a consider able sum of money. During the struggle they endeavored to throw Mostor under the wheels of a passing train, but fortu-nately the train stopped before they succeeded in deing so. He was found by railroad man, who notified the police. The latter removed the injured man to

# To Bulletin Granted Pensions.

Washingtons, Aug. 13.—The commis-sioner of pensions has decided to access to the request of newspaper correspond-ents to publish in the daily bulletin the postodice address of those to whom penon certificates are issued. Secretary Hoke Smith has under consideration the advisability of the publication of the names of applicants for pensions.

# End Not Go Fishing. Brezann's Bay, Mass., Aug. II. The president spent Sunday at home with his family and Dr. Heyant. The cool north wind which prevailed kept the president imboors about all day.

Wasserrow, Aug. 13. The treasury department was yesternay offered to 2 or 0 courses of silver at prices ranging from was langed at 40.55th per name, the is wealthy other deciment and a counter offer if smooth nor pt. 75th made. This morning Arting Dr. decamped.

Washisoros Aug. 13.—Ex-Congression Youmans arrived in this city yes terday to see President Clereland and ascertain why his recommendations for appointments of postmasters are ignored. In making this trip Youmans again emphasized his capabilities as a blunderbuss. The president departed this morning and now Mr. Youmans is wondering where he is at and what he is here for. He will return home next Tuesday or Wednesday so wiser than when he came.

Off for Chilian Port.

Washington, Aug. 13.—The United States cruiser Charleston has started on a long cruise. She sailed from Hampton Roads with Valparaiso, Chili, as her objective point. It is almost definitely sottled that the Charleston will relieve the Philadelphia at Callao and the Alliance in Nicaraguan waters, the Philadelphia going to Honolulu, relieving the Boston, and the Alliance sailing for Samoa.

Carlisle Talked About Repeal.

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Deen Pass, Md., Aug. 13.—Secretary Carlisle says Representative Wilson (W. Va.) will be chairman of the house committee on ways and means. The impression was created by the tenor of the secretary's conversation that the repeal of the silver purchase clause of the Saerman act would be very speedily accomplished, in fact that everything had been arranged for this end.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The fact really is that Mr. Breckenridge has had so many affairs du cœur during his public career that one more or less would not establish the habitues of the capitol, who generally keep tab on the amours of such of the conscript fathers, who while professing devout christian-ity, nevertheless maintain an "A1" rat-ing in the "Lloyds" of Cupid.

Republicans Win.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 13.—The supreme court rendered its decision in the legislature controversy, sustaining the position of the republicans. The court supports the action of the republicans throughout, declares that Governor Brown had the right to prorogue the assemby and stamps the body which has been meeting at Newport as a rump house.

One of the matters yet undecided by the president is the governorship of the Soldiers' home, which was vacated by the recent death of General Kelton. A large number of prominent officers are after this most desirable billet. It is believed that Gen. Orlando B. Wilcox may be restored to his old position.

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It is understood that a resolution will be offered in the house early this week providing that the appropriation for mileage of members shall become available immediately. This will give each of the twelve Michigan congressmen a handsome addition to his salary.

The comptroller of the currency Saturday appointed receivers of national

urday appointed receivers of national banks as follows: J. Windsor Robinson, receiver of the First National bank of Vernon, Texas, and M. H. Rhor, re-ceiver of the First National bank of

Hannibal A. Hopkins, who is a descendant of Ethan Allan, has offered to sale to the government the sword that his ancestor carried at the taking of Fort Ticonderoga during the revolution-

The secretary of war has appointed Lieut. M. J. Lanahan of the Twelfth infantry as a military professor at Seton Hall at Orange, New Jersey.

It is expected that Cleveland will se to the senate this week a large batch of appointments made during the recess of

C. A. Burr has been appointed post-master at Rochester, Oakland county, Michigan, vice Theodore Daveman, re-

Congressman Avery's son has been very ill for a couple of days, but is now on the road to recovery.

A. B. Dougherty of Elk Rapids has been admitted to practice in the interior Dr. F. F. Thatcher has been appointed

pension examining surgeon at Gaylord, Michigan.

Monroomeny, Ala., Aug. 13.—Josiah Morris & Co., the leading private banking house of the state, made an assignment yesterday. It was due to the continued withdrawal of deposits during the last sixty days and especially large drafts made yesterday. At a meeting of the other bank officers last night it was resolved commencing Monday morning to enforce the clearing house system.

St. Louis, Aug. 13.—The Bi-metallic eague of St. Louis had a stormy meet league of St. Louis had a stormy meet-ing tonight. The most important action was the adoption of a resolution ap-pointing a committee to call on all voters to induce them to pledge themselves not to vote for any congressman who does not support the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1.

# Revolutionists in Control.

New York, Aug. 13.—The Herald's Valuaraiso special says: A dispatch from The Herald's correspondent in Rio Grande do Sul city. Brazil, confirms the report that Governor Castilhos has re-signed. His successor is General Bar-boso. General Barsiva has been ap-pointed chief of the revolutionary forces of the state.

Minister Suiceled.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 13.—The Rev. S.
D. Roberts, a prominent Methodist divion, for many years presiding elder of
the Beatrice district, committed suicide
at Crab Orchard, a little town east of
here, lust night by shooting himself.
He was mentally unbalanced, the result
district a fortune in unfortunate second of lowing a fortune in unfortunate spec-

Chartascona, Tenn., Aug. 13.—Fire this afternoon in the four story and basement store occupied by the Block wholesale drug store did \$55,000 damage; insurance, £20,000. The biase began in Swindled Out of \$7,500, Correct, BL, Aug. 12. The gold brick swindle has been successfully worked on a farmer named Plaber, Fisher, who is wealthy, but \$7,000 and the three

smooth nun who worked the trick have

Warden Purcell Does Not Propose to Give Up His Job.

### HE HAS ENGAGED COUNSEL

Until His Term Ex-

Ioxta, Mich., Aug. 13.-Warden Par cell does not propose to threw up his job as warden of the state house of correction without a contest, although be denied this statement three weeks ago, and the rumors that have been floating denied this statement three weeks ago, and the rumors that have been floating around for several days that he intended taking legal advice upon the matter has been confirmed. George E. Nichols, a promising young attorney of Ionia, has been engaged as his attorney. Warden Parcell has been questioned as to whether he would step out and turn over the institution to Mr. Fuller, and he replied that he "didn't care to remain where he wasn't wanted." It was loarned the warden was going to stay in if there was such a thing possible and that he had been lately in consultation with prominent attorneys. There was no doubt that some action would soon be taken. When Mr. Nichols was interviewed he opened with a bomb-shell by saying he had spent several days in looking up authorities and examining the law and that he thought he had a good sound case. When asked for some sort of an opinion in the matter he said there were several and concluded: "It is true that Warden Parcell came to me a few days ago and wanted me to look up this matter of when his term of office expired, and since then I have given the matter considerable consideration and investigation, the result of which has led me to believe that from a purely legal standpoint Mr. Parcell, if he chooses, can retain the office of warden until the expiration of his term, which is October, 1856, I believe. I have so advised the warden find I presume it is safe to say that he will attempt to execute the duties of the office until that time. What action Mr. Fuller will take is not known. He is not likely to try to obtain forcible possession, but will probably apply for que warrante or mandamus through the superior court when the merits of the case can be gone into." Attorney General Ellis was asked if he had anything to do with it. He flatly denied any connection with the proceedings and said he had received no notice of the matter and therefore could

### give no opinion.

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FIRE TUG BLEW UP. Engineer Hamilton Badly Scalded and Master Mechanic Injured.

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 13.—The official test of the fire tug Detroiter took place yesterday. It ended with the blowing-off of the cylinder head of one of the pumps. It occurred in this way. What iron bar about six inches thick, had smashed right in the center. This completely removed all support from the cylinder and the pressure bursted off the head and sent the mass of iron flying

the head and sent the mass of iron flying through the roof of the cabin.

Chief Engineer Hamilton was knocked down and badly scalded. Master Mechanic Beaufait also received slight injuries, but he succeeded in shutting off all steam immediately when the cylinder bursted. This saved considerable damage to the boat and perhaps loss of life. The tug was at once taken back to her dock. All the fire commissioners were of the opinion that it was well that the accident occurred when it did and not during fire duty.

# PAYING WITH TIME ORDERS.

Kalamazoo Suspends-Specie Payment

Extravagance in Expenditures.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Aug. 13.—The city of Kalamazoo has suspended specie payment, or even currency, and now paysall debts with time orders, payable on or before February 20, 1894. The city owes not to exceed \$40,000, besides what it has expended this fiscal year which began April 1. The charter was arranged to give the bankers a lift by loaning from \$60,000 to \$80,000 to the city each year for about six months, but the present council has been so recklessly extravagant in increasing salaries. the present council has been so reck-lessly extravagant in increasing salaries and spending money without any re-turn that even the banks in these times will not advance the money. This month the amounts thus far credited foot up \$18,000, and the city finance committee has been able to borrow only \$7,000, and has issued time orders for

# GRAND RAPIDS TO ATTEND.

German Catholic Association to Meet in Detroit.

Dermort, Mich., Aug. 13.—The state convention of the German Catholic Family Protective association will be held in St. Joseph's hall, in this city, next month. Delegates will attend from the local branches, Monroe, Grand Rapids, Adrian, Westphalia and other places. J. B. Mueller, editor of the Stimme der Wahrheit, will make an address at the opening on the aims and objects of the association. On the second day a requeim mass will be celebrated in St. Joseph's church for the repose of the deceased members. The association has branches in every German catholic paries in the city and has contributed much during its existence for the aid much during its existence for the aid of the families and helrs of deceased

# DIED FROM HIS INJURIES.

Mrs. Bullard's Clothing Took Fire

While Lighting Her Pipe. Layervo, Mich., Aug. 13.—Mrs. Gua Bullard died today from burns received last night by her clothing taking fire. It is supposed the clothing was set on fire by the woman while endeavoring to light her pipe. Mrs. Bullard had been sick for some time and was being cared for by a neighbor. The attendant left her alone for a few moments and on her alone for a few moments, and on her return found the unfortunate woman a mass of flames. Before the fire could be extinguished she was literally

MILLS NOT TO CLOSE. Time Checks.

Manuscan Mich. Aug. 13.—At a meeting of the numbermen of the Menument of the M

# tive to the closing down of the mills on account of the depressed condition of the lumber business, a joint resolution of the lumber business, a joint resolution was passed to the effect that the mills will continue to run, but in order to do so it will be necessary to pay for all labor in sixty-day drafts or time checus on monthly pay days. Copies of the resolution have been posted and circulated among all mill men. From the fact that it had been previously announced that all mills would be closed down tought for an indefinite period, this action has had a tendency to rustore confidence. The time checks can be used among all mercantile establishments, and the drafts are negotiable at a slight discount.

# Girl Fatally Burned.

Isotranso, Mich., Aug. 13.—A girl about 20 years of age, named Chapault, at Little Lake Friday night while alone in the house, accidentally set fire to her clothing. Her clothes were all burned and the flesh peeled off from her limbs. She died a few hours later.

### Charged With Burglary,

Sagnaw, Mich., Aug. 13.—E. H. Simpson is locked up, charged with burglary at the residence of Charles Staitows and Frank Starkweather, most of the stolen property, including a gold watch belonging to Mr. Starkweather, being found at his home.

Mostley, Mich, Aug. 12.—George P. Vorce, who served about four years in the late war, and is 73 years old, and is dependent upon his daily labor to support himself and wife, received notice today that he was suspended from the

### Slugged the Old Man.

Posr Huson, Mich., Aug. 13.—John Richmond, aged 73 years, complains that a Mrs. Sands had given him a beating because he had remonstrated with her children for quarreling with his grand-children. She is under arrest.

# Kalanazoo, Mich., Aug. 13.—Frank Best ran against a horse while riding his bicycle last evening. He suffered a severe contusion at the base of the brain from which he lies unconscious. He formerly lived in Elgin, Ill.

Whitehall Boy Drowned. WHITEHALL, Mich., Aug. 13.-The 8year-old son of Charles Hastrom was drowned at 6 o'clock last evening, while playing near the wharf. He is sup-posed to have struck a log in falling, rendering him insensible.

# RIDDLED WITH BULLETS.

Mob Took Kirk James From Jall and Use Him for a Target.

BILE, Ala., Aug. 13.-A special to

The Register from Jackson, Ala., says: The trouble at Meachambeal is at an end. The posse has disbanded and quiet reigns supreme. Habe Burke, Jim Jordan and Mac Burke, three of the worst men in the gang and acknowl-edged leaders, escaped by taking refuge edged leaders, escaped by taking refuge in Satilpa swamp. Kirk James was killed Friday night. He was captured in his field and put in charge of a guard of eight men to be lodged in jail. A mob of 100 men took him from the guard, tied his hands behind him, placed him in front of an oak tree and riddled his body with bullets. He makes the third man killed. A plot to whip to death several negroes who voted for Jones in the Jones-Kolb gubernation contest was uncarthed. Citizens of Meachambeal are panic stricken. Many have abandoned their property and left. It is supposed that Neal Sims, brother of the notorious Bob Sims, has joined forces with the Meachamites, and if this be so, further bloodshed will follow. be so, further bloodshed will follow.

The present trouble will cast a blight on
Coffeyville and will come near depopu-lating the town.

# FIRED BY TRAMPS.

Skating Rink and Several Buildings Destroyed--Loss \$75,000.

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Jamestown, N. D., Aug. 13.—Fire this afternoon started in the old skating rink on Fifth avenue, spread to the Capital hotel, a three-story brick structure built inst year; burned Mrs. Nelson's two-story residence and the Metropolitan block, the Capital newspaper office, the armory of Company H. Banker Lloyds fine residence and five barns. Loss \$75,000; insurance \$55,000. The fire is supposed to have been set by tramps sleeping in to have been set by tramps sleeping the old rink.

# QUEEN VICTORIA ILL.

Report She Had Been Stricken With

Sr. Jones, N. B., Aug. 13.—The Rev. G. L. McNeal created considerable excitement in his church tonight by announcing that a cable dispatch had been received to the effect that Queen Victoria had been stricken with paralysis. No confirmation had been received up to midnight.

Companies Defy the Law.

Jaryanson Cirr. Mo. Ang. 13.—Bond investment companies doing business in Missouri are required to deposit with the state treasurer \$100,000 to costs, but few companies have complied with the law, although a number are is operation. State Treasurer Stevens has written a letter in answer to inquiries, in which he severely arranges those whose doty it is to prosecute violations of this law.

O'Ners. Nob., Aug. 13.—It is feared Holt county is bankrupt. More than a week ago I reasures Scott left for Shour City, to be absent estendidy a day. He has not returned, and of \$20,000 of county \$20,000 or accounted for three-tourths of that being in a defunct bank.

# IT IS MILD ASIATIC

Fourteen Cases of Cholers in

# PASSENGERS IN QUARANTINE

samer Huida Arrived Prom Grand and Vessel Disinfected-Suspects

Quanarrays. S. L. Aug. II.—Two sup-pects were isolated at Hoffman island early this morning, but owing to the rough weather in the lower buy they were not removed to Swinburn island hospital. If the wind moderates they will be transferred during the night. They are Maris Reso, aged 4 years, and Pasquale de Hendor, ared 15 years will be transferred during the night. They are Maris Reno, aged it years, and Pasquale de Hendon, aged it years, and Pasquale de Hendon, aged if years. The bacteriological examination shows that Guissoppe Adamo, who was removed yesterday, is suffering from cholers, and that Ceorquis has not developed the disease. The consus of the hospital tonight shows: Cholers patients, it; patients not having cholers. B; convalencent, it; suspects on Hoffman island two, total twenty. All of the patients are improving. The disease is mild in character. Two more nurses were sent to Swinburns island today. The steamer Hulds arrived today from Genoa. All were well on board. All of the steamer Hulds arrived today from Genoa. All were well on board. All of the steamer had nort and their baggage was disinfected before embarkation. The cabin passengers were examined and provided with passports on which were written statements of their route of travel for ten days before arriving, so that detection on the raffication may be avoided. The vessel was disinfected and allowed to proceed after the examination of the steerage passengers.

### Quarantine Ordered.

Charteston, S. C., Aug. 13.—Charieston board of health today ordered quarantine against Brunswick, Georgia. The step is purely pre-cautionary, and little measuress is felt either by authorities or the people of the city.

# SUNDAY OPENING A FAILURE.

Clingman Closing Injunction to Be

Chicago, Aug. 13.—The exposition was opened today, but the attendance was light. Visitors were allowed in all the buildings except government, but most of the exhibits were closed. The management of the fair offered no attraction of any kind, nor were there any services in festival hall to induce the people to come out to the park and as a result nearly all the sight seem spent the day in the plaisance, where the only life on the grounds was apparent. The hope is strong among exposition officials and employes that this will be the last open Sunday, and that by next Tuesday the Chingman injunction forbidding the closing of the gates on the first day of the week will have been the first day of the week will have been dissolved. Midway Plaisance conces-sionaires, however, who are benefited by having visitors at the fair on Sunday,

having visitors at the fair on Sunday, are on Clingman's side.

There are several unofficial postul cards on the market, imitations of the standard, and which require the addition of a 2-cent stamp to carry them through the made. Those selling them will be prosecuted. The official souvenir postal cards will continue to be sold at the fair grounds as heretofore the government considering their sale as a convenience to the public. The card contains on the back handsome lithographs of the different world's fair buildings and each card is signed by H. N. High-botham, president, and H. O. Edmunds, secretary of the exposition company. The official card can be mailed without extra postage to any point in the United

# extra poetage to any point in the United States or Canada. DRUMMERS IN SESSION.

Will Ask Congress to Amend Inter-

Sr. Louis, Aug. 13.—A meeting of the national board of directors of the Travelers' Protective association was held yesterday. Applications were reported from 280 new members. The principal action taken was that referring to the travelers' demand for a 5,000 inile ticket, good on all roads. The chairman of the legislative committee, the Rion. Insider Hayner of Maryland and National President John A. Lee were instructed to be layer of Maryland and National President John A. Lee were instructed to introduce a bill at the present special session of congress to amend the interstate commerce law in such way as to permit the railroads to issue such tickets with the privilege of carrying 300 pounds excess laggage.

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Bosron, Aug. 13.—Ex-President Harrison, who is visiting his daughter, Mrs. McKee, at Boverly, denies that the William Harrison, who was sent to the Denver poor house recently was a consint of his as claimed. The ex-president says: "It is a bit of nonconse. I have no cousins or near relatives in Denver. My only consin by the name of William married a daughter of General Pike and lives on the old family homestead in Kentucky. He is in comfortable circumstances. The story is as false as the one printed a few works ago that a man by the name of Harrison, or Case, who lost his life on a Nortolk steamer, was a near reintive of mine. He was none of my kin whatever."

# Chief of Scouts Dead."

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